

# FIRST DEALINGS ARE WITH CHURCH

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East many times Mr. Havemeyer had met and sent William P. Willett to Utah to see what I was just going to California, and Mr. Willett accompanied me there, and arranged for me to go to New York and see Mr. Havemeyer.

"I went to New York, and though Mr. Havemeyer was the only man I met at that time, I judged that he was negotiating for the American Sugar Refining Company, because he used the word 'we' in all his conversation.

Havemeyer Makes Offer  
"Mr. Havemeyer said to me: 'We have decided to go into the beet sugar business. We think it is bound to become one of the great industries of this country, and we have heard of your success in the West. We sent for you to see if you could not help us in establishing beet sugar plants in any good locations in the United States.'

"I told Mr. Havemeyer that I was not in a position to accept such a proposition, and I said that what I wanted was financial help in our own enterprises. Then he made a proposition to me to supply one-half of all the capital we would need in extending our business in good locations if we would agree to furnish the other half, and he proposed to start the deal, that our stockholders sell the American Company one-half of our stock."

Butler explained that this was taken up with the stockholders, and that it was after he had made six trips between New York and Utah that the deal was closed with Mr. Havemeyer. The committee had just begun its examination of the witness when adjournment was taken for the day.

The committee concluded the examination of Charles B. Warren, president of the Michigan Sugar Refining Company.

# BELIEVE LORIMER CHOSEN HONESTLY

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Jeff's election. "This means the election of Lorimer as Senator."

Mr. Yates denied he had made such a statement, but demanded to know who claimed he said.

Senator Kenyon asked if he had not made such a statement to Phillips, a Record-Herald reporter.

"I know Phillips," said Mr. Yates. "If he said I said it—I would say I said it."

The witness added that he had long hoped Lorimer would be elected Senator, and might have expressed himself along that line, but there was no general discussion to the effect that Lorimer would be a candidate.

"What Democrat of respectability, or of prominence, or member of the Legislature expressed a desire to you to have Lorimer elected?" inquired Senator Kern.

"I do not know. I cannot give you any names."

"Not one?"

"No."

Senator Kenyon asked Mr. Yates if at the convention when he was defeated for renomination for Governor, he had discharged Joseph Bidwell, grain inspector, because he was Lorimer's friend, and Lorimer was opposed to him.

"After Bidwell had voted against me twenty-nine times, he came to me and said that I had his sympathy," Mr. Yates told the committee. "I told him I would not have his resignation. I thought I meant it, and so resigned. I accepted it."

Mr. Haney, attorney for Lorimer, delved into Illinois political history.

"Do you know of any alliance between Roger Sullivan, Democratic leader, and Governor Deneen?" he asked.

"If there is," responded the witness, "Roger will get what I got."

Mr. Haney brought out that Senator Hopkins often had manifested opposition to Yates's political fortunes.

Mr. Yates protested against this line of examination, but Mr. Haney persisted. The committee will meet again to-morrow.

# MUST HAVE AUTO LICENSE

New Jersey Court Upholds Constitutionality of Law.

Trenton, N. J., June 22.—The Court of Errors and Appeals, in a decision rendered by Justice Gammon to-day, upholds the constitutionality of the automobile license law of 1908.

The decision is the sequel to a suit brought by J. J. Haney, of Jersey City, to contest the constitutionality of the law.

Haney deliberately drove his automobile from Jersey City to his summer home in Pennsylvania without obtaining a New Jersey license, in order to test the law. His contention was that it violated the Federal Constitution, because it was a regulation of interstate commerce.

# "Berry's for Clothes."



"Manhood, not scholarship, is the first aim of education."

Now he's stepped out from the school book and is ready to take part in the activities of summer. Here are his vacation clothes fitted for his various vocations from ball to bath.

Boy's knickerbocker suits \$3.50 to \$10.

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*Berry's for Clothes*

Y. M. C. A. Athletics

Tha hot weather does not decrease the interest in the various volleyball leagues at the association. Last night four teams played two games each, and each won one and lost one.

The Goobers defeated the Tars, 21 to 14, while the Bugs trimmed the Colts, 21 to 10. In the second round the Tars got after the Bugs, 21 to 13, while the Goobers were putting it over the Goobers, 21 to 13.

Standing of the Teams.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Goobers	7	5	.583
Bugs	7	5	.583
Colts	6	6	.500
Tars	4	8	.333

In the afternoon game in the outdoor league, Ballou's team won out over Carleton's, 21 to 16. To-night at 6:15 o'clock the Goobers play the Tars.

Standing of the Teams—5-15 League.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Bugs	9	3	.750
Bellou	7	5	.583
Carleton	5	7	.416
Leake	5	7	.416

6-15 League.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Giants	7	7	.500
Pirates	7	7	.500

Boys' Camp.

A meeting of all prospective campers will be held in the boys' department rooms to-night at 8:30 o'clock. Applications are coming in and the full number is expected to enroll by June 30. The camp, which will be conducted at Carysbrook, will be open to members, thirteen to eighteen years of age. A few adults will be taken along to assist in running the camp. The camp dates are July 1 to 15 inclusive. Further information will be gladly furnished.

Decision Favors Boston.

Pittsburg, June 22.—Announcement is made to-day that President Lynch has decided against the Pittsburg Baseball Club in the protest of the game won by Boston here on June 16, by a score of 8 to 7. The local club claimed a decision made by the umpire should have been made by the umpire behind the bat.

The protest was based on section 3 of rule 1 of the playing code, which provided that if the umpire, in making a decision, is caught between third and home with more than one base occupied, the umpire-in-chief shall make the decision. Lynch says that the umpire-in-chief is only called upon to decide a play under this rule when a man is run down between third and home; in other words, on a see-saw play.

ARRESTED FOR THREATENING TO SHOOT EMPLOYER

Joe Finch, colored, was arrested last night charged with threatening the life of his employer, L. E. Browne, with a pistol. Browne said that he had discharged the negro, telling him that he would be paid off at 1 o'clock.

Finch, he said, was not satisfied with that and came in earlier. When reached at the time, he reached in his shirt and pulled out a revolver, threatening to shoot. Browne took to his heels and interviewed a magistrate as soon as possible. The negro was locked up, but had to be taken out of his cell as he was suffering from heart trouble. He spent a good part of the night under an electric fan in the lobby of the Second Station.

Houston Defeats Reidsville.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Houston, Va., June 22.—Houston defeated Reidsville 6 to 3, in the first game of the series. The first inning was a Waterloo for Reidsville, four home runs crossing the plate. Hawthorne's pitching featured the game, and Marshall at first for Reidsville.

Batteries: Reidsville, Johnson and Coble; Houston, Hawthorne and Lieb.

# CAUGHT IN DENVER



LOUIS L. GREGORY.

# GREGORY TO MAKE FULL STATEMENT ON HIS ARRIVAL

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bonds is believed to be responsible for his peculations.

Said He Was Coming Back.

"I was going back home to-morrow to give myself up," said Gregory this morning after having at first declined to discuss the charges against him. "My case is already in the hands of an attorney, and I do not think I will have much trouble in settling the matter. While it is said that I got away with \$15,000, I do not believe the shortage will run over \$5,000."

Gregory said that the shortage was overlooked when the auditor of the road checked his books, and that the first theft was over a year ago. When Gregory heard that a second examination of the books was to be made, he knew that discovery was certain, and he left town after writing a note to his wife saying that he was short and that he would kill himself. When he left Richmond, he says, he took only \$500, leaving \$1,200 in the bank. He stopped at all the best hotels wherever he went.

End of Big Mystery.

Up to the time that he absconded few people suspected that Gregory was stealing from the railroad company, although everybody who knew him wondered how he could keep two automobiles, sport around and live high on a salary of \$92 a month. When it became known that he had disappeared while auditors were at work on his books, everybody who knew him admitted that his accounts were short. On the afternoon of May 20 he was requested to return to the freight offices of the railroad and explain certain discrepancies. Instead of doing that he went to the City Wharf, where he left his keys, certain papers and a note to his wife, saying that he was going to kill himself. Two or three days later his family asked the police to drag the river, but no much work was done in this direction, for the reason that the police ridiculed the idea of suicide.

Since Gregory's departure the American Surety Company has entered suit against him in the Henrico Circuit Court for \$15,000. His motor cars were attached and some effort was even made by his creditors to levy on his other property, the value of which is nominal.

Full Credit Due Police.

Full credit for the capture of Gregory belongs to the Richmond Police Department and its detective force, which has been constantly at work on the case. The reward of \$1,000 offered by the Virginia Railway and Power Company, following the acquisition of a majority of the stock by Frank J. Gould, of the former company, was effected by the stockholders and directors at a meeting held in Norfolk yesterday.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Virginia Railway and Power Company will be held here to-morrow to formally approve the merger, thus completing the details of the transfer.

Those who attended the meeting yesterday were John Blair McAfee, president of the absorbed company; F. W. Roehling, Jr., of Philadelphia; James Selma of Baltimore; P. W. Chandler, of Philadelphia; Henry W. Anderson, of Richmond; William Northrop, president; George H. Taylor, of New York, director and personal representative of Mr. Gould.

TARRIED IN RICHMOND

Academy Youth Sent Dangerous Telegram to Home Folks.

Evidently the delights of Richmond were too much for Hatcher Willis, a student at Haney-Mason Academy, while loving home folks at Big Stone Gap were awaiting his return from a tedious studies at the college. Hatcher was dallying with the sights and sounds of Virginia's capital. This is the way in which the Big Stone Gap Post of this week tells the story:

"Hatcher Willis is another 'bad 'un.'"

He was expected home Saturday night, at the latest, from Randolph-Macon Academy, where he has just completed his third year, and his home folks prepared a feast of good things in expectation of his return. But no Hatcher stepped from the Virginia and Southwestern Saturday evening. Instead, the following telegram made his devoted father walk the floor and literally shake his fist in the direction of Richmond, from which city the "wire" was sent:

"Be home Tuesday night. Having good time. Wire objections.—Hatcher."

REBELS LAY DOWN ARMS

Government Officials Consider Latest Customs Fraud Cases.

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company line to-day and marched across as prisoners of United States troops.

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